

# Supplemental Changes to the Business Tax Guide

## Page 6 - Tax Return Filing Information

**Tax Return Due Dates:** Effective with the July 2003 tax return, the due date for monthly filers is the 20<sup>th</sup>. (*EHB 2269*)

## Page 14 - Tax Classification Definitions

**Line 5: Manufacturing Bio/Alcohol Fuel** - Effective July 1, 2003, there is a new B&O tax classification and rate (0.00138) for qualifying Biofuel manufacturers. For more information, refer to *BioFuel Manufacturers* Special Notice. (*HB 1240*)

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**Line 10:** Chemical Dependency Centers - Effective July 27, 2003, there is a new B&O tax classification and rate (0.00484) for income received by qualifying chemical dependent/drug treatment facilities from government agencies. For more information, refer to the *Drug Treatment Facilities* Special Notice. (*HB 1858*)

**Line 12: Environmental Remedial Action** - Effective July 1, 2003, the B&O tax classification for Environmental Remedial Action is no longer available.

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Section III: *Local City and/or County Sales and Use Tax*, Line 25 - Motor Vehicle Sales/Leases: Effective July 1, 2003, motor vehicles are subject to an additional sales/use tax of 0.3 percent. The tax applies to sales, leases, and transfers of motor vehicles (including trucks and motor homes) licensed for on-road use. This tax does not apply on retail car rentals that are subject to the rental car tax. For more information, refer to *Motor Vehicle Tax* Special Notice. (*ESHB 2231*)

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**Section VI:** *Other Taxes,* **Line 60** - **Quality Maintenance Fee on Nursing Facility Operators:** Beginning July 1, 2003, nursing home operators are subject to a monthly fee of \$6.50 per patient - per patient day. For more information, refer to *Nursing Home Fee* Special Notice. (*SB 5341*)

# Page 21 - Deduction Definitions

**Sales of Biofuels:** Effective July 1, 2003, retail sellers of biodiesel fuel, alcohol fuel, and wood biomass fuel may deduct income from the sales of these fuels from the measure of the B&O tax. For more information, refer to *Biofuel Sellers* Special Notice.

**Conservation Expenditures:** Effective July 1, 2003, the conservation expenditures deduction is no longer available.

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Reclaimed Water: Effective June 1, 2003, the deduction for reclaimed water is no longer available.

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